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PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****PATENT APPLICATION****INVENTOR(S)** John McKenna Brennan  
Joseph Michael Freund  
John William Osenbach**CASE** 3-82-47**TITLE** **TECHNIQUES FOR REDUCING BOWING IN POWER  
TRANSISTOR DEVICES****"Express Mail" Label No.: EL967585175US**

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Specification

4 Sheets of informal drawing(s)

Declaration and Power of Attorney (unexecuted)

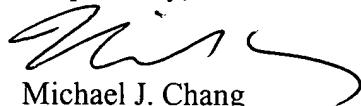
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CLAIMS AS FILED				
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
Total Claims	20 -20 =	0	X \$18 =	\$ 0
Independent Claims	3 - 3 =	0	X \$86 =	\$ 0
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable			\$290 =	\$ 0
Basic Fee				\$770
			TOTAL FEE:	\$770

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